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NEW COVENANT MISSIONS



BIANNUAL STATISTICS 2023





ON AVERAGE 124 PEOPLE
ARE CHOOSING TO FOLLOW JESUS
EVERY DAY AFTER A TRANSFORMATIVE
ENCOUNTER WITH NCM WORKERS



IN NCM'S HISTORY, THIS RECENT QUARTER BROUGHT OUR TOTAL TO OVER 2 MILLION PEOPLE WHO HEARD THE GOSPEL, WITH 1 MILLION REACHED IN JUST THE PAST 3.5 YEARS! IT'S TRULY WONDERFUL TO WITNESS HOW GOD HAS USED AND BLESSED NCM THROUGHOUT ALL THESE YEARS!



HOUSE CHURCHES

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ROMANS 8:36-37

As it is written:

"For your sake we face death all day long; we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered." No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.



Recently I was with our team of 23 field workers in Niger. One by one they shared with me the various struggles they were facing as they bravely worked to share the Gospel and plant churches in the "Red Zone" of Niger, an area under the control of Islamic terrorists. One testimony specifically broke my heart. One of our church planters shared that one day it had been raining and he heard gun shots nearby. He then saw a group of armed men, so he ran towards his home. As he got near to his home, he saw his children and then a gun shot fired and he slipped and fell in the mud. His children screamed in horror as they thought that their father had just been killed.

This is just one of hundreds of similar circumstances NCM workers face as they live in some of the hardest places on earth to make sure everyone has an opportunity to hear the truth about Jesus. And because of these workers we are seeing incredible spiritual fruit all throughout the continent of Africa.



In fact, in the first 6 months of 2023 we have seen 15,953 people give their lives to Jesus for the 1st time! In addition to that 6,733 more people recommitted their lives – this comes to 22,686 salvations to celebrate in just 6 months! (An increase of 33.5% over last year).

While we celebrate the victories, I want to personally ask you to pray for our workers and their families. The spiritual battle is heavy, and our teams and their church members have been facing serious hardships amid these victories, recently we lost a church planter in Senegal to an unknown illness. The teams are constantly facing troubles such as motorbike accidents, serious illnesses, verbal and physical persecution, imprisonment, death of family members (including children), and much more as you can only imagine.





Erik Laursen President & CEO New Covenant Missions







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HORN OF AFRICA

STORIES FROM THE FIELD

ETHIOPIA

126+ Million People | 36+ Million Unreached | 25.6 % Islamic | 25.6% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 43 UPGs





JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

2.923 EXPRESSED FAITH **1.724** BAPTIZED **1,318** RECOMMITTED FAITH **81** OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED

55 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM

558 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED **JESUS FILM STATISTICS 66** JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS 2.792 SAW THE JESUS FILM



Those who believed in the gospel said, "We realized that we were in darkness. We tasted what the true light of Jesus looks like. The old lives we were living could not bring any change to us, but after we started believing in Jesus as our Savior things changed. We know that we are on the right path and are filled with His peace." The people of Dukusu testified that their suffering and hunger has passed with the help of NCM. **NCM Field Staff Abdinur**

The people say they are thankful for New Covenant Missions. "You are always there in time of need; we have seen the fear of the Lord in you." NCM Field Staff Boku



Wondimu is an amazing missionary. He uses his resources for the sake of God's mission. He built a hall for believers to worship and he sold items to buy construction materials. He told me "I was almost dead before I received Jesus Christ as my personal Savior. I was crippled and could not move around easily. Now I am walking properly. Jesus healed me". Horn of Africa Regional Director Garedew

God blessed us with 300 square meters of land right in the heart of the town to build a church! This is a true miracle for us - an answer to our prayers! We are full of gratitude and praise for God. NCM Field Staff Basha











I raised funds from volunteers to feed some children and teach them the word of God. NCM Field Staff Lydia

Getachew served as a deacon and Sunday school teacher at an Ethiopian Orthodox Church. He was invited to our discipleship training, where we encouraged people to accept Jesus Christ as their Savior. After experiencing his deliverance, deacon Getachew shared that his life had been filled with disturbance and fear, and he used to struggle with self-hatred. However, after being prayed for, he felt a profound sense of relief as the burdens he had carried for many years rolled off his shoulders. He expressed that peace and joy entered his life as a result of this transformation. His father, inspired by the changes in his son's life, also received Jesus Christ as his personal Savior and joined the discipleship training. Despite facing persecution from local people, Getachew remains thankful for his relationship with the Lord. His story is just one example of many as numerous individuals have experienced healing and freedom after accepting Jesus. NCM Field Staff Israel Ejigu



I am still praising God for His intervention and help in the terrible time of war. The trauma, the sound of heavy artilleries and people's cries, was really unthinkable. Thank you for your prayers and support in this difficult season. NCM Field Staff Lydia

Due to the civil war, our ability to carry out mission work beyond Axum is temporarily restricted. However, within Axum, we continue to engage in various ministries. Our activities include mission work, teaching and mentoring five new believers, providing discipleship training, leading the local church, and highlighting the importance of the gospel. Despite the limitations imposed by the conflict, we remain committed to fulfilling our kingdom work within the Axum community. NCM Field Staff Alexander Asfaw & Goitom Tadesse



I spent the last three months training and equipping missionaries and church leaders in Assosa, Bahir Dar and Gondar. I have seen God comforting and encouraging many and giving them the strength and ability to run the race ahead of them. I thank God for everything. **NCM Field Staff Pastor Endale**



The good news reached 240 people from the Amhara community, resulting in 5 individuals accepting Christ. Those 5 people are now currently undergoing discipleship. NCM Field Staff Pastor Endale Gebeyehu















SUDAR

48 Million People | 45+ Million Unreached | 91% Islamic | NCM active among 6 UPGs

JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

579 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS

26 EXPRESSED FAITH

27 RECOMMITTED FAITH

6 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED

4 BAPTIZED

JESUS FILM STATISTICS

13 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS

247 SAW THE JESUS FILM



We praise God as the local government has encouraged us to preach in Silara. I'm grateful for the mission training we received from NCM in Khartoum. We learned a lot and the presence of the Lord was there with us. We thank everyone who contributed for us to have the Jesus film in the Salar region. God is good. **NCM Field Staff Abdalla**

The conflict in Sudan makes movement between the villages difficult and dangerous, but God is with us and He will protects us from these fears. **NCM Field Staff Hoshim**



Sudan is currently in a state of war due to an ongoing conflict between the Sudanese Armed Forces and the Rapid Support Forces. This has led to the deaths and injuries of thousands of people. Over 3 million individuals have fled their homes, seeking safety both within and outside of Sudan.

Unfortunately, because of the continuing conflict, we are unable to provide any reports, testimonies, or statistics for the second quarter of 2023. The war has greatly disrupted communication, making it extremely difficult for us to gather information from the affected areas. Despite these obstacles, we did receive a short phone call from our Church Planters who are on the ground. They let us know that they are doing alright.

During this challenging time, we kindly request your prayers for the well-being of our Church Planters and the people of Sudan, and for an end to the conflict.



SOUTH SUDAN

EAST AFRICA

11+ Million People | 574,000 Unreached | 51% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 7 UPGs





The people in the community are eager to hear the gospel and we received encouragement to do so by the local chiefs as they said it will change the life-style of the people in the area. The Lord is doing great things in the Beli community because wherever we go and preach the word of God, the people turn up with joy and they express that it was due to the lack of teaching that they have not been following Jesus. **NCM Field Staff Gabriel**



Many people are sharing testimonies about the power of the word of God. They say that they have been reading the Bible without understanding, but now even at home they can read for themselves and understand the meaning behind the words. During our 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm Bible study sessions, some people begin gathering as early as 4:00 pm. **NCM Field Staff Wilson, Martin**

The Community and the Government gave us two plots of land, one for the church and the second for a school. We have already started the nursery school this quarter! **NCM Field Staff Alfred**



JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

4,209 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
1,758 EXPRESSED FAITH
14 BAPTIZED
271 RECOMMITTED FAITH
110 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
6 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED







William Dokaga from Kyolaka, said "I was attending the ECS church to learn more about Christ, but every time I went there some people condemned me saying I am a drunkard and a sinner. I stopped going because of the way I was treated. One day I heard a church planter preaching. He did not condemn me and I felt accepted. He said God loves us all. So I continued to listen to what he was saying and I decided to accept Jesus. Jesus Christ is changing my life one step at a time, praise God.

Some new believers told us that they used to practice idol worship and they had no peace. "We did not know that God is merciful". They did not know that there is forgiveness and they can have joy from surrendering their lives to Jesus Christ. **NCM Field Staff Salah, Nathan**







After our initial outreach, we aim to assist the people of Sopi by providing second-hand clothes and shoes.





UGANDA



48+ Million People | 1.2 Million Unreached | 13.2% Ethnic Religions | 6% Islamic | NCM active among 2 UPGs

This month, I'd like to share a story from our children's ministry and church. Lokol James has been a part of our Saturday children's discipleship classes for almost two years. He arrives early each morning to assist in cleaning the outdoor class area beneath a tree. Recently, he has begun sharing the Bible stories we teach him with other children. In his own village, he spreads the message of Christ to other kids by telling them Bible stories. As a result, many children now join him in coming to church to learn about God's word together. NCM Field Staff Ogwang

'I am 98 years old now and I have never heard about the Gospel. We have been believing in the gods of the rivers all our lives. When the team from NCM came to our village and shared the good news of the Gospel, we slowly began to understand about Jesus Christ' said Mzee Onesmus.



We started a school in the Mening community where education is needed. We named it 'Hope for the Mening'. Please pray with us for our school. We need help with school supplies to run it well and improve education. With more time for teaching, we can guide the children and their parents in the ways of the Lord. This will bring positive changes to the community through God's word and education. NCM Field Staff Ogwang



"Accepting Jesus as my Lord and Savior has been the best decision I have ever made. I grew up doing a lot of raiding and cattle rustling from the neighboring communities. When the NCM team shared the Gospel with me and I was discipled, my life changed and I no longer raid other communities. I have told my friends about my changed life and Jesus. Three of them have also given their lives to Christ," said Oryema.







JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

1,043 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS 191 EXPRESSED FAITH **5** RECOMMITTED FAITH 3 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED **22** HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED **111** BAPTIZED **JESUS FILM STATISTICS 10** JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS 430 SAW THE JESUS FILM **65** EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM



We're grateful to witness the impact of God's work among the mothers in Kangole, where women's rights and education are limited. These women embraced Christ and received guidance. They are now actively teaching each other about proper health care at home, hygiene, and the Gospel. As a result, the lives of women in the village are undergoing remarkable positive changes.

'I was among the first girls in the Mening community to accept Christ. I experienced a lot of challenges from my friends and relatives after this decision. I was intimidated, abused and insulted. This made me fear to go openly and witness Jesus to others. Pastor Santos Ogwang continued to encourage and disciple me and today I thank God that I am in the evangelism team that moves about with the planters to win souls for Christ' says Christine Ikuju.









67+ Million People | 6+ Million Unreached | 27.4% Islamic | 21.7% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 10 UPGs





Having the Jesus Film kit for our community outreaches will continue to bring impact day by day; we give thanks to God. The people we visited said that they love the books that we are giving to them because they are written in Kiswahili and they use Swahili as their medium of communication, So let us pray together, for them to receive Christ as they read the books.

When I came to watch the Jesus Film presentation it was not my intention to do so but I was sent by Islamic leaders to cause a disturbance so that the film could not be presented. But then I was touched and found myself crying when I saw how Jesus Christ suffered so much for our sins. I decided to give my life to Him and now I am His son. Jamal Kareem

Janet Masood from Msafiri Village at Kibiti District in Pwani Region of Tanzania testified "My parents brought me up in the fear and faith of Islam. I thank God for this ministry as my family has now recognized Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. Your visit to our family opened doors for us to know Jesus. **NCM Field Staff Deusdedith, Joshua**



"If the Gospel wasn't shared in this area some days ago there would have been no other way for my friend to hear about Jesus Christ and then to tell me." Praise the Lord for the saving Gospel that is able to reach areas that were previously unreached. To see a new believer like Karim Omar attending the house church encourages the people to witness to others.





1,836 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
161 EXPRESSED FAITH
7 RECOMMITTED FAITH
1 OFFICIAL CHURCH PLANTED
16 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
69 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS

622 SAW THE JESUS FILM







Joseph Elikana testified "I was raised in a Christian home, but just followed through the motions of doing Christian things that I thought I was supposed to do. I didn't know Him, I just knew about Him. I found myself searching for purpose and meaning of life. I also became very fixated on myself and my image. At my lowest point when I was alone and afraid, God drew me to Himself. From growing up in a Christian home, I knew what to do. I knew that He could save me if I just let Him. I confessed that I am a sinner and that I was trying to find life in other people and myself. I acknowledged that He sent Jesus to die on the cross so that I can be saved from my sins and have eternal life. I committed to living for God instead of others. He has given me fulfillment and purpose and joy. And when the things I was pursuing before continually let me down, God has never once left me. He has shown Himself to me in His Word, the Bible. God loved me even at my lowest point and He rescued me from myself and eternal separation from Him."











We praise God that we managed to conduct training for some of our workers from different areas here in Tanzania. The training was done at Arusha. In Tanzania, we do this training every three months and we praise God that it was successful. We have also been able to prepare some books for new believers, to start their walk of salvation by guiding them to study the Bible. **NCM National Coordinator Michael Mafie**





Mwanaisha Said, a lady from Mzava village had never heard about Jesus Christ until our team visited this village and she accepted the Lord as her Savior. She attended our Bible study for the first time and said, "It's wonderful that people came to our village and shared the truth about Christ, which we hadn't heard at the Mosque for so long". **NCM Field Staff Kevin, Lucas**

The youth are publicly saying that they need Jesus or that they have accepted Jesus as Lord and Savior. Normally they would be shy among their peer group to declare their faith and sometimes fear their parents. So we praise God when we see young people living out their faith in Christ. Transformed behavior of the youth has been a catalyst for the adults to see the goodness of God and how lives are changing

Regardless of the strongholds of Islam, we have seen the Gospel penetrating even to the doors of the Sheikh of the Mosque. Having some members of his family attend our outreaches is a step forward towards having an opportunity to share the good news with more people. NCM Field Staff Benedictor & Seleman







The attendance of the village chief at the Jesus Film showing was an encouragement to our team as it stopped any chance of resistance from community members who were not happy with the outreach. Believers continue to share the Gospel

message when they move away so we give God praise for the extended mission. More people have been reached even in the areas we have not yet been to. **NCM Field Staff Benedictor & Seleman**













KENYA

54+ Million People | 5+ Million Unreached | 25.5% Islamic (60-70% in Coastal Province) | 24.5% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 7 UPGs

Praise God! The Lord has given us favor in this area for we see the great things that God is doing. Imagine visiting a Muslim home and you are given time to share the word of God with them and they are willing to listen! Glory to God. **NCM Field Staff Francis**



Charo Chaka, a man who once battled alcohol addiction and faced estrangement from his family, now testifies to a remarkable transformation in his life since embracing Jesus Christ. He acknowledges that his journey to recovery was not immediate, but through prayer and placing his faith in Jesus, he witnessed a profound change. As a result, Charo is grateful to God for making him a new person in Christ, leading to a restoration of trust and acceptance from his relatives.

We had the children's Sunday school awards for those who consistently attended class and the Jesus film presentations. The number of believers has grown over the last 6 months because of the Jesus film.



We had a Jesus film showing and community outreaches at Mabalasi village which is a Digo and Duruma community. Most people were Muslim, however the response to the gospel was incredible. I also presented the Jesus film in Fingirika. The community was not welcoming, but we met with the leaders who gave us a place to use to present the Jesus film. There was a lot of intimidation from some people, but God was with us. **NCM Field Staff Francis**



JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

20,281 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
246 EXPRESSED FAITH
89 RECOMMITTED FAITH
2 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
20 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
9 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
164 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
17,349 SAW THE JESUS FILM
177 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM





We conducted six outreaches in the past month and covered four villages- Masindeni, Singira, Vingirika and Mwapungo. The outreaches were well received and we made follow ups in the following days, encouraging the new believers and we have opened two more home fellowships in the area! NCM Field Staff Geoffrey

GUINEA BISSAU

2.1 Million People | 1+ Million Unreached | 51.6% Islamic | 37% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 1 UPG

I thank God for the door of opportunity that He is opening for us to reach the Kassanga people. I believe Jesus will work miracles among this people group. **NCM Field Staff Alberto**

I was called by God into ministry 27 years ago. I have always prayed for God to send me a partner who will have the vision to attend to the vulnerable people in the villages and then NCM appeared in Guinea Bissau which is an answer to prayer. I thank God. **NCM Field Staff Domingos**

I want to thank God because he is giving me grace to share the good news in Ganjandi. Ganjandi is a dark place spiritually. I believe we will soon hear great testimonies because of what Jesus is going to do in Ganjandi. **NCM Field Staff Alberto**

We are grateful to God for what He is doing among the Kasanga people, even though it's not easy to talk to them about Jesus. In Ganjandi and Sedingal they are becoming more open to hear the Gospel, but they believe that Jesus is a prophet of the Christian people, not the Muslims. They also hold a belief in mythical curses affecting the Kassanga people. So they will listen to us, but still not receive Jesus as Lord and Savior. We trust the Holy Spirit to work in their lives as faith comes by hearing the Word of God. We continue to be patient and form friendships with them. NCM Field Staff Pastor Domingo

JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

404 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS

24 EXPRESSED FAITH

6 RECOMMITTED FAITH

2 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED

JESUS FILM STATISTICS

1 JESUS FILM PRESENTATION

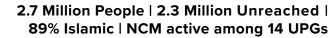
40 SAW THE JESUS FILM

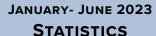




WEST AFRICA

GAMBIA





7,836 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
57 EXPRESSED FAITH
75 RECOMMITTED FAITH
7 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
15 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
74 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
1,108 SAW THE JESUS FILM
18 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM

In Junda, a man by the name of Mustapha said this was the first time he properly understood the Gospel, what repentance means and how to depend on God for everything. **NCM Field Staff Ephraim**

I thank God for the crusade in Lamin Wayeto where the power of God was present and we heard testimonies from the people of how the Lord is working in their lives and setting them free from oppression and other situations.



I want to thank God for healing Jatou after we prayed for her. Jatou testified that our meetings are helping her grow in her faith and because of this she and her daughter were baptized. After the church service we visited her cashew farm and helped her with some farm work, she appreciated this gesture. **NCM Field Staff Joseph**

I thank God for everything he is doing for me and my family. Eight people recommitted their lives to Jesus in April! Though we are facing some persecution, having three committed people working with me to advance the gospel in my area is wonderful. **NCM Field Staff Idrissa**







BENIN



13+ Million People | 2.5+ Million Unreached | 52.4% Ethnic Religions | 27% Islamic | NCM active among 2 UPG's



1,936 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS312 EXPRESSED FAITH11 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED









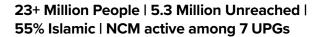


In Niarissera the people face many challenges, but we thank the Lord that they welcomed us and accepted the Word of God with joy. We also prayed for the sick in their homes. We can feel that they are thirsty for the gospel. We thank God for the people who received us and listened to the Gospel despite their religion. **NCM Field Staff Pascal, Seraphin**

My name is Worou and I'm from Yekeranbansou. I have been suffering from a disease that was paralyzing me since last year. Through my sister-in-law, the evangelists came to tell me about Jesus Christ and they prayed for me. Two days later, I started to feel strengthened. I believe that by faith and I am recovering. **NCM Field Staff Cyrile**

During our trip we had to cross a river to reach Gbladjiha. There had been a lot of rain, but God was with us and we reached the village. During door-to-door evangelism we prayed for an old man who was lying on his bed sick, he could not sit up or eat by himself. After we prayed the Lord started working in his life and he began to recover. He can now sit up and eat without being helped. **NCM Field Staff Seraphin**

BURKINA FASO



In June, our locality faced repeated terrorist attacks, leading to displacements and loss of lives. Despite the challenges, we are grateful for the Lord's protection. We managed to share the gospel in a new village named Koroma, bringing happiness and much needed hope to the people there. **NCM Field Staff Jean Pierre Toe**

Many people in the villages we are working in, are starting to understand more about Jesus Christ. We prayed for many sick people and thank the Lord for those who are recovering. Currently I have three villages where I'm sharing the Gospel in and many people are joyful, asking us to return again to share with them. In Kongolikoro, our disciples are gradually embracing and adjusting to their journey with the Lord. We come together to worship every Sunday as a united group! **NCM Field Staff Nakoulma Halidou**



In Fankara, many acknowledged Jesus Christ as the true Son of God. Our disciples are embracing their new way of life, and enthusiastically sharing the message of Jesus Christ with their friends and neighbors.







JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

7,951 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
111 EXPRESSED FAITH
3 RECOMMITTED FAITH
4 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
20 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
1,433 SAW THE JESUS FILM
35 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM



SIERRA LEONE

8.7 Million People | 1.5 Million Unreached | 61.2% Islamic | 32.1% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 5 UPGs











11,621 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
2,696 EXPRESSED FAITH
911 RECOMMITTED FAITH
24 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
67 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
130 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
30 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
3,982 SAW THE JESUS FILM
1,025 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM

In one community we met the town Chief, Mohamed, sitting under a tree. When he saw us coming he stood up and said, "I don't want to see you here". So we then told him why we were there and he allowed us to pray for him. We prayed with him and led him to Christ. This is a man that had never believed in Jesus Christ. He followed us as we spoke to other people and when they saw him, they were surprised because he used to always be against Christianity. A lot of people accepted Christ because of chief Mohamed's transformation. Glory to Jesus! NCM Field Staff Paul

Bockarie Amodu Hundolo told us that since the day we prayed for him and led him to Jesus Christ his life has changed for the good. He used to smoke and drink and had no respect for his parents. Now he is a changed man and is ready to serve God. He is a Mende Bom. Brother Bockarie Amodu Hundolo and his family are now part of our discipleship training. Hallelujah! NCM Field Staff Charles







Brother Ibrahim Tucker, aged 34, belongs to the Mende Bom community. Formerly a Muslim, his perspective shifted after we visited his community and shared the Gospel. Upon hearing the message, he made the decision to fully commit his life to Jesus. He had been eager to follow Jesus for some time, awaiting a chance to learn more about Him. Now, in his community, Brother Ibrahim's transformed life has left many people astonished.



Sister Sallay Musa comes from Kawai in the Bonthe district. Even though her parents are Muslim, she didn't have a specific religious belief. She mentioned that she had observed us talking to people about Jesus, praying for them and she became curious. This time, she requested us to pray for her. She expressed her desire to make a change in her life and leave behind the sinful lifestyle she had been leading. Sallay Musa felt a deep connection through the Holy Spirit and decided to follow Jesus.



IVORY COAST

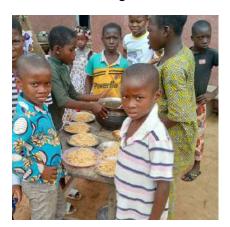
28.6 Million People | 6.3 Million Unreached | 38.6% Islamic | 38.3% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 13 UPGs

I had the opportunity to meet Mariam Cisse and share the Gospel. Mariam did not accept Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior, but she was very open to listen to the Word of God. She even invited me to visit her and to share more stories about Jesus. During one of our visits we brought her an audio-player with the Gospel in Jula and French. Now Mariam is the one who is visiting me, because she's fearing her parents would start to mistreat her if they see that she is listening to the Gospel. She said, "I know Jesus Christ is good, but I fear my parents. I know it will be very bad for me the day they hear that I'm even visiting Christian people." Please pray that the spirit of God will help her overcome her fear and that she will come to Christ. **NCM Field Staff Yao**

"My name is Fofana and I'm a former Muslim who came to Christ and was baptized 40 years ago. After accepting Christ I was not able to study the Word of God because I could not read and no one, not even my children, could read the Bible to me. After a car accident 25 years

ago it became difficult for me to walk and go to church. One day some people came to my house and after they shared the gospel I told them that I had already accepted Christ as my Lord and Savior, but I was in need of His Word in my life. What a joy when I received the audio player with God's Word, and I'm so thankful that a Bible study group has started in my house. I'm 71 years old, but I feel renewed."

We had a wonderful time with orphans in Quartier Konankro in the city of Divo. We provided some food and shared gifts with these precious children. It was a blessing to see them smiling. **NCM Field Staff David Pleka**











JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

4,285 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
230 EXPRESSED FAITH
73 RECOMMITTED FAITH
2 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
6 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
57 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
6 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
1,079 SAW THE JESUS FILM
36 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM







We shared booklets with traders in their shops. In the city, 92% of the people who have a business are Muslim. It is a great opportunity to talk to them about Jesus Christ and also to share the booklet "The Way to God" with them. **NCM Field Staff David**

NIGERIA

223+ Million People | 68+ Million Unreached | 38.2% Ethnic Religions | 19.7% Islamic | NCM active among 2 UPGS



JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

1,376 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS17 EXPRESSED FAITH12 RECOMMITTED FAITH3 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED

We are moving ahead in Agbede where there is no church and they are not willing to allow anyone to build a church on that land. But with some intervention we have been able to make progress through another people group called the Igalas. We are having services every Sunday with them under a tree, through our pioneer missionaries in partnership with the Agbede community. The good news is that Jagbe people are now interested to join our services. Some of them are those who have received Christ, but feared attending services in nearby villages such as Agbede and Ewu and even Auchi. God is working powerfully in the land of Jagbe. Hallelujah!

We praise God that Mr. Mutairu is recovering from his sickness after we prayed for him. This is the man who could not raise his head up from the bed and whom the hospital had rejected with a claim of his ailment being beyond medical solution. He can now walk around without any support.







God has indeed done wonders through your intercessions for the church. This testimony came to me when we were running low on hope and faith. But the Lord made us understand that He owns the world and the heart of kings are in His hand. On the 26th of February 2023, after Sunday service, I got news from the field that the elders council in the palace have just released the church to us. Stating that the land in question is community land and not for any individual. This came after Lawal and another family were fighting over the land.

Not just that, the council also decreed that anyone willing to go to church should be allowed to do so without any form of deprivation or hindrance as long as they were not forced to do so. Finally, the palace sent for the pastor of the church and tendered an unreserved apology for the misbehavior of the young man (Lawal) and the displacement of the church for a period of five months. We praise the Lord who has been with us and fighting for us without end.

The community provided us with a piece of land for our church on a farm road, which initially seemed like an attempt to distance us from the main center of the community. However, this location turned out to be advantageous for us in ways that the community did not anticipate. Since some individuals are apprehensive about attending church in a public setting, the farm road location has made it easier for them to attend. This is because they can now come without fear of being judged.



Senima Ani, a widow with unwavering faith and a strong hunger for God, faced a challenging situation. She was called before her late husband's family, surrounded by stern-looking men, and questioned about her decision to embrace Christianity over her husband's religion.

Her response, which surprised even me, was, "Only a fool would stay in darkness when they can see and hear about the light." This profound statement was expressed in our local dialect. The women in the area are standing out with their strong faith, similar to how God chose people during Jesus's time. Their faith is unlike anything I've seen in the cities I've worked in for years. I'm quickly learning from these amazing people who serve God even in the heat of persecution.

NCM Field Staff Destiny

GHANA

34+ Million People | 2.1 Million Unreached | 36.9% Ethnic Religions | 18% Islamic | NCM active among 20 UPGs







Hakim and Nurudeen said that they have heard people preaching on the radio, on television and also via social media, but no one has ever explained and talked with them personally about Jesus Christ. So they were very happy to listen to us when we shared the Gospel.

During our outreach in Zongo, we had the opportunity to share the gospel with Nafisahtu, a Jula Muslim. We provided her with a WMP tract titled "The Way To God." On Independence Day, when Nafisahtu noticed us distributing tracts, she approached us and expressed her desire to assist in sharing them. She explained that she thoroughly enjoyed reading the tract we had given her and wanted to help spread its important message among her fellow Jula Muslims. Nafisahtu enthusiastically distributed the tracts, encouraging others to read them, and even took the initiative to read and interpret the content in the Jula dialect for those who had difficulty reading English.



We thank the Lord because for the first time we were allowed to share the gospel at the entrance of the mosque. This was a great privilege so we are praying that more doors will open for us to meet our targeted people with the gospel. NCM Field Staff Sansah Samson





It was not easy to share the gospel with some people, but God has protected us from harm. We also thank the Lord for speaking to some of the people who warmly welcomed us to share the gospel with them. We believe that someday God will touch their hearts to receive Christ as their Lord and personal Savior. We also thank the Lord for raising a secret disciple among the Jula Muslims. To God be the glory. **NCM Field Staff Sansah**



4,535 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
275 EXPRESSED FAITH
89 RECOMMITTED FAITH
5 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
31 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
39 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
51 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
2,418 SAW THE JESUS FILM
207 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM





REPUBLIC OF GUINEA

14+ Million people | 12.2 Million Unreached | 88% Islamic | NCM active among 12 UPGs

JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

5,073 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
59 EXPRESSED FAITH
18 RECOMMITTED FAITH
3 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
18 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
2 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
22 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
496 SAW THE JESUS FILM
1 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM

In January we helped clean the farm of the chief in the village called Ley-Pétë and shared the word of God with the people; they listened to us and welcomed us. We thank God that we can help the people with their needs because we are building good relationships with them. **NCM Field Staff Philippe**

We thank God for brother Moustapha Barry who declared that he knows that the Christians are worshiping the God of peace because the Christians in Pita live in peace and love to one another. That is one of the reasons why he decided to receive salvation. **NCM Field Staff Andre**

Fallilou Diallo, a teacher at the Koranic school, held negative views towards Christianity when we first met him last year. Despite his skepticism, we persisted in sharing the Gospel as he not only challenged what we've shared with him, but also discouraged others from listening to us. In January, we had another encounter with him and took the opportunity to once again share about God's plan for salvation. Miraculously, Fallilou had a change of heart and came to believe in Jesus Christ! **NCM Field Staff Oury**









SENEGAL

17+ Million People | 14.3 Million Unreached | 91% Islamic | NCM active among 9 UPGs

Abdoul is a young man who was injured by another young Peul person. He was thinking of revenge before watching the Jesus Film. Inspired by the powerful lesson and hearing what Jesus says about forgiveness, Abdoul chose to let go of his anger and extended his forgiveness to the person who had harmed him.



Initially, villagers in Ndank were hesitant to watch the Jesus film. However, God touched the heart of Omar Seck who invited me into his home and gave me

permission to show the film to 25 people. We thank God for a man called Malick Sene, who saw the film at Omar's house and asked me to visit his home as well and present the film to his family. **NCM Field Staff Gueye**







During our distribution of Samaritan's boxes last Christmas some leaders of the village told us we can share the boxes, but we must not share any bible story booklets. Some people however asked us for the

booklets and later the chief testified that the booklet had a bigger impact to some than the boxes for Christmas, so we praise the Lord for this. **NCM Field Staff Sidibe**

JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

1,578 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS39 EXPRESSED FAITH21 RECOMMITTED FAITH

6 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED **70** HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED

7 BAPTIZED

JESUS FILM STATISTICS

47 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS

688 SAW THE JESUS FILM

3 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM







23+ Million People | 21.2 Million Unreached | 88% Islamic | NCM active among 11 UPGs

JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

11,760 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
237 EXPRESSED FAITH
11 RECOMMITTED FAITH
1 OFFICIAL CHURCH PLANTED
46 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
3 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
68 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
3,925 SAW THE JESUS FILM
109 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM









A new believer shared with us that he has come to understand the depth of God's love and has recognized that the affection of the Lord surpasses even that of his own parents. He expressed these thoughts prior to committing himself to following Jesus Christ wholeheartedly.

Fadiga, a new believer, shared his thoughts saying, "I am thrilled to have received the assurance that Jesus offers, as I now have life in Him. I feel confident about my life, and I am grateful to Jesus for this." NCM Field Staff Youssouf

Aichatou Traoré is a young girl who told me that her father would not allow her to attend worship services. She said that she now hides the fact from him that she is coming to church. Since then she became friends with one of my daughters, she has become like a member of our family as she is constantly with us. She asks us to pray for her father and the rest of her family that they too will come to accept Christ. The Gospel changed the life of Aishatou Traoré despite her young age. She is not afraid to praise and serve Jesus and talk about him. **NCM Field Staff Lael Coulibaly**

I bless the Lord for his faithfulness in the ministry, evangelizing the Bozo is very difficult. At times I was really discouraged, but the Lord reminded me that he sent me to sow but the harvest is for the Holy Spirit alone. I regained courage in the ministry while looking unto Jesus. **NCM Field Staff Kone**



Late one evening, my friend Oumar Coulibaly reached out to me, sharing his heartfelt decision to embrace Jesus. The next afternoon, I embarked on an 80 km journey to visit him, bringing along two fellow brothers. With a clear understanding, Oumar openly admitted his past wrongdoings and placed his faith in Jesus Christ as his Savior. We prayed with him and there was much joy among us. Our Lord is wonderfully wonderful! **NCM Field Staff Lael Coulibaly**



NIGER

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27+ Million people | 26.6 Million Unreached | 93% Islamic | NCM active among 4 UPGs

The Tahoua project is focused on sharing the good news of Jesus Christ with the predominantly Islamic Tahoua Region in Niger by establishing 600 churches in the area: We praise the Lord for this wonderful ministry for which God has called us in the region of Tahoua, especially among Fulani and Hausa. The Fulani and Hausa are the pioneers of Islam in Niger and therefore Islam holds a place of pride and cultural significance among them. As a result, 99% of the population are Muslims and practically there is almost no church established in these villages. Our mission has been to bring the Gospel to these areas, where only a few have had contact with the teachings of the Bible. Despite initial challenges, including pressure and rejection from village leaders, we persisted in our vision to reach places where others hesitated to go. At the beginning of the ministry we faced strong pressure and rejection and no house wanted to welcome us despite the fact that hospitality is an obligation in our Hausa culture. Eventually, we managed to meet with a village chief, and through a conversation, we gained his trust as long as we stayed respectful to other religions. His acknowledgment allowed





JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

7,662 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS

98 EXPRESSED FAITH

34 RECOMMITTED FAITH

15 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED

6 BAPTIZED

JESUS FILM STATISTICS

42 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS

2,370 SAW THE JESUS FILM

17 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM







us entry, and the doors to sharing the Gospel opened. Now, we're guiding some individuals towards baptism, an achievement that was once considered unimaginable. Yet, our efforts have limitations. Lack of transportation and necessary equipment such as motorcycles, audio Bibles, projectors, and materials like flyers hinders our outreach. We are concerned that the home churches might encounter difficulties, particularly among the younger members, due to the limited availability of worship spaces. Acquiring land is challenging as it is owned by the older generation. Additionally, these new young believers often depend on their families, which could become a problem when their new found faith becomes known. If we can assist them with small community projects and establish a formal place for worship, it will serve as a testimony of the love of God. NCM Field Staff Boubacar



We conducted a sewing workshop for the women of Karey Gorou. It is a Fulani village. The aim is to train them so that they can take care of their social needs. But beyond the social, we want to bring them to the knowledge of Jesus. Every day we begin the session with prayer and with a moral teaching or a portion of the Bible. NCM Field Staff Idrissa

We give thanks to the Lord for the salvation of Salman Harouna, the son of a fundamentalist Muslim. During our ministry to him, he confided to us that he spent years trying to find inner peace in the religion of his parents, but nothing changed in his life. He says this is why he is convinced that there is no salvation in their religion and he turned to Jesus and accepted the Lord Christ as his Savior. He is now filled with peace. We pray for his protection from all persecution.

A Christian woman who is married to a Muslim man participated in our Bible study. She decided to embrace Christ and expressed that her life lacked happiness as a Muslim. Even though she now faces persecution from her husband's family after sharing that she had become a Christian, we have seen that she continues to remain devoted to the gospel. **NCM**Field Staff Clement

CHAD





CENTRAL AFRICA

18+ Million People | 10 Million Unreached | 57% Islamic | NCM active among 28 UPGs



I was persecuted and abandoned by my parents, but I am not ashamed to live out my Christian faith. I greatly appreciate and continue to share with my community that we have water to drink, schools for our children and even care for our diseases through this Christian organization. **Tchegna**

My name is Moustapha Ahmad and I have the joy of sharing the gospel with my unreached Mawa brothers. At times while sharing the Gospel I have been mocked by some who do not yet know the way of salvation through Jesus Christ. Yet there are other people who are open to hear the Gospel, but they have hard hearts. We pray for open doors.

We praise God for the literacy course that has begun among the Dama children. **NCM Field Staff Ramadane**

Let us give thanks to God for the workshops on the translation of Bible stories into the Mawa and Ubi languages that are taking place in N'djamena.







Two Muslims accepted Jesus during the campaign in Mobou, registered for baptism and at the same time committed themselves to follow the pastoral courses. Something unexpected and incredible, but possible with God! Their names are Ahmad and Batab. **NCM Field Staff Ahmad, Gaidro**



I have immense joy since I accepted Jesus Christ as my Savior. I have seen brotherly love among the Christians. I thank God that I heard the gospel being shared by Pastor Timothy and I am now part of the family of God. I will tell my Dadjo brothers and other communities about Jesus. **Souleyman**







JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

8,936 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
391 EXPRESSED FAITH
77 RECOMMITTED FAITH
5 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
44 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
59 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
62 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
2,288 SAW THE JESUS FILM
24 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM



CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

5.6 Million People | 486,000 Unreached | 23.5% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 5 UPGs



Nzapasésé Firmin, a member of the Ganzi ethnic group, serves as the traditional heir of his clan following his grandfather's passing. They adhere to various traditional ceremonies. Recently, he realized he needed to break free from his fetish practices. Seeking spiritual guidance, he approached a church planter, confessed his sins, and underwent baptism. We rejoice in his transformed life and newfound freedom, giving glory to God.

Serving God is wonderful! I am so glad that despite my lower school level, God can use me to share the Gospel with many people. **NCM Field Staff Abadja**

We are so excited to tackle this new area of Ndjoukou among the Langbashi and Dakpa ethnic groups and share the gospel! The area is peaceful with the presence of national armed forces. **NCM Field Staff Ndombe**



People were open to receive the gospel, even the Benkonjo. We announced to them the way of salvation through the word of God and many were willing to abandon their sinful ways, making the decision to follow the way of the Truth.

JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

2,419 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
255 EXPRESSED FAITH
490 RECOMMITTED FAITH
7 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
30 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
162 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
11 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS

62 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM

906 SAW THE JESUS FILM

GABON

JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

1,006 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS **419** EXPRESSED FAITH

36 RECOMMITTED FAITH

4 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED

4 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED

19 BAPTIZED

JESUS FILM STATISTICS

1 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS

20 SAW THE JESUS FILM

2 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM







We traveled more than 50 kilometers through rivers and forests to reach the Pygmies. May the Lord help us because it is not easy. We gave clothes to the Pygmies in Ndoumassi and talked to them about the Gospel. The clothing was very appreciated by all the people. The leader of a Pygmy village group, whose name is N'nang, has accepted Jesus into his life and received a Bible. He is thankful for God's grace and what it has brought to his life. We have hope that this will open doors for us to reach even more people in the village. **NCM Field Staff Stephane**

The new believers are concerned that the new official church in Mbadi may not last, as previous churches in Mbadi have closed shortly after opening. Mbadi is a very challenging area to work in, so please pray for the long-lasting precense of this church. We're grateful for God's perfect timing and for sending us sister Justine Malama, our peacemaker and the widow of the former chief of Canton. She has supported our mission in Mbadi by providing us with a temporary place of worship - the Canton meeting shed. **NCM Field Staff Bouyou**

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC



OF THE CONGO



102+ Million People | 309,000 Unreached | 4.3% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 17 UPGs

CP Biloni praises God as people are starting to love hearing the Word of God and attend church at the new site. It was not easy at first as there were only a few people at the Sunday services, but now more people are interested in the church and worship. **NCM Field Staff Biloni, Jean, Iheko**



We showed the Jesus film to the Sere people, and as a result, 56 individuals gave their lives to the Lord. While we were out in the fields, we were able to reach out to the people and share the gospel with them. They were enthusiastic to hear about Jesus and showed great joy while watching the film. **NCM Field Staff Simeon, Cebastien**

People were delighted to receive printed gospel materials that they could keep. Additionally, we took part in training pastors. CP Biloni expressed gratitude for the baptism of 5 individuals and for receiving pastoral training. We're thankful for the progress in the new area; it's clear that God is actively working through us. **NCM Field Staff Biloni**, **Jean**, **Iheko**



"It is the first time I have seen people of God initiating Bible studies in my village. I am thankful and attend every week" said Brother Mbolinihie.

We praised the Lord for giving us the opportunity to work in new areas, especially in this village where the chief of the village seemed to oppose us when we first arrived, but later he understood why we came and he has now accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior. **NCM Field Staff Ngendu**

Agbanga Lisanga testifies how the Bible studies have helped him to abandon so many bad habits in his life. He now understands through God's Word that these were sinful. Brother Lilonga Julien shares that when he reads the Bible on his own, he can now understand it, thanks to our Bible studies. He is also praying and sharing the Word of God with his family and others.



26,053 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
4,343 EXPRESSED FAITH
2,932 RECOMMITTED FAITH
114 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
40 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
222 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
47 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
4,542 SAW THE JESUS FILM

1,030 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM











CONGO REPUBLIC



6 Million People | 12,000 Unreached | 4.2% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 9 UPGs

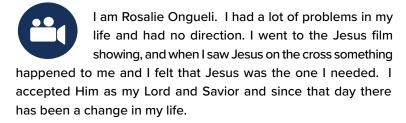
JANUARY- JUNE 2023 STATISTICS

1,073 GOSPEL PRESENTATIONS
500 EXPRESSED FAITH
113 RECOMMITTED FAITH
7 OFFICIAL CHURCHES PLANTED
55 HOUSE CHURCHES PLANTED
115 BAPTIZED
JESUS FILM STATISTICS
11 JESUS FILM PRESENTATIONS
285 SAW THE JESUS FILM
149 EXPRESSED FAITH DURING THE FILM



I am Ali Mamadou from the Hausa people group. Throughout my childhood I did not have the opportunity to even touch a Bible because I was forbidden to do so. But then one day I heard the Word of God and the man told me about Jesus

and I understood that the best thing in the world is to know Jesus as my Lord and Savior. Without my parents knowing I gave my life to Christ and was baptized. I have immense joy because I know I'm now a child of God. **NCM Field Staff Eddy**



We faced some opposition from the Muslims when they heard that one of their brothers gave his life to Jesus. They rose up against us

because Moussa was expected to become a future Imam. However, ultimately, the message of the Lord prevailed as we continued to preach His name. **NCM Field Staff Floreal**



The believers are growing spiritually because of our discipleship groups. People have seen the hand of God in their lives, some who were not speaking to each other have begun to do so again thanks to the Bible studies and prayer. The villagers are full of joy as they see what God is doing. **NCM Field Staff Armel**

My name is Jean Paul Edjiel. I used to be a hunter and believed in using fetishes to outperform other hunters. One day, a man visited my house and shared the teachings of God with me, but I initially rejected his words. However, that night, I couldn't sleep as his words lingered in my mind. The next day, burdened by the evil I had committed in the village and towards my parents, I sought out the man of God, longing to be liberated from these practices. He prayed with me, and I willingly accepted Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior. Since that transformative day, my life has been filled with peace.

It was very difficult for me during the first two days to gather the people together. But on the third day a brother asked me to start with even just a few people and gradually more people came by themselves. In the village of Ikélemba the chief did not want us to share the Gospel, he said the village belongs to their ancestors. He informed us that we must avoid preaching and speaking against their customs because they have rituals every weekend. A week later, God touched one of the notaries who then received Jesus and welcomed us into his home. So we say thank you to our Almighty God. He protected us and his abundant grace was present every day. **NCM New Field Staff Franck**









ZAMBIA

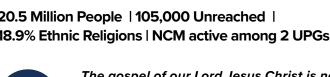


20.5 Million People | 105,000 Unreached | 18.9% Ethnic Religions | NCM active among 2 UPGs











The gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ is now reaching more villages than we anticipated and many villagers are now requesting to plant churches including in villages where witchcraft was considered a religion. We can't wait to see the Tambo evangelists raised from among the saved to carry the gospel further in Tambo land.



Besides sharing the gospel verbally in Tambo land, we started a night school where we are teaching villagers how to read and write. We are trusting the Lord that this school will go along way in meeting the literacy needs of the Tambo people. This school may become a regular school where we will be able to teach children as well. This will help reduce illiteracy by providing schools for children who currently cannot attend due to the lack of educational facilities in the area. This will empower the villagers in the long term. NCM Field Staff Joel









We showed the Jesus Film in Kaizya and this was the first time that people in this village have seen the Jesus film. It is a powerful tool that God is using especially because the residents are curious and are eager to watch. Three elderly Muslim men asked us to pray for them, it was wonderful and encouraged us. NCM Field Staff Esaya

I am Baiton Katyetye, 20 years of age. I was initiated into witchcraft and I became a hero in my own eyes and celebrated the powers since that was how I made a living. One day after a successful stealing spree, I met Rev Joel Bowa. It is as if something told him I was a thief because of the words he read to me from the Bible that touched my heart. The word was simple but very strong and it made me realize I was a sinner. I opened my heart to receive Jesus Christ. I have stopped my evil practices and am now following Christ.











We have opened one discipleship meeting under a tree. I have learned that the other tribes around the Yao Muslims are in need of the gospel as well and as we share God's Word with the Yao, we also witness Christ to the local tribes. Most of the Yao we have spoken to say they are forced to follow Islam because of poverty. Islam is their source of livelihood because of the food items they receive monthly. We appreciate God for the salvation of 1 Yao Muslim who gave her life to Christ and the gospel being preached to other local tribes in the villages. NCM Field Staff Julius

WORLD MISSIONARY PRESS

TANZANIA

We received a total of 4,250 boxes of Gospel booklets from World Missionary Press. This will be enough for us to distribute for a one year period. So far, we gave out 1000 booklets, 500 of "Help From Above" and 500 of "How to Know God," to church planters. We pray that the next quarter will be even more fruitful.

NCM National Coordinator Michael Mafie













CHAD

We received 2,034 boxes containing WMP booklets in French, Azumaina, Ngambaye, Sango, and Hausa languages. We distributed 20,000 of these booklets to NCM Field Staff for their work. During our distribution events, we reached 12,300 people with the gospel message, and 247 individuals accepted salvation.

NCM NC Assane Bella

Oumar Mahamat: I cannot read or write, but thanks to a friend who received the "Jesus Loves You" booklet and explained God's love for humanity to me, I accepted Jesus despite the persecution from my Muslim friends. I have chosen to live the rest of my life with Jesus.

Abanga Baddai: I was born and raised in a Muslim family. I had been hearing about Jesus for several years, but I never felt a strong connection until I received the booklet titled "How to Know God." This title motivated me to read the entire booklet, and I discovered many truths that no one had ever told me before. When I met evangelists who came to my village and explained Jesus in detail, I accepted Him as the savior of my life, and everything in my life changed.





BIANNUAL 2023 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PRELIEF PROJECTS



TANZANIA ORPHANAGE PROJECT



THE GOOD SHEPHERD'S HOUSE



BIANNUAL 2023 FACTS:

- The project has had a significant impact on the lives of **136** individuals. Christian fellowship has been established, leading to the regular Sunday Services and increased participation from both children and adults. As a result, the Gospel message is shared on a weekly basis, providing spiritual nourishment. Additionally, the children involved in the project receive essential provisions such as food, clothing, educational tours, and a designated space for sports activities.
- **130** people had the opportunity to hear the Gospel through ongoing outreach efforts.
- •A total of **33** individuals experienced salvation.
- Furthermore, **4** individuals made a re-commitment to Jesus.

National Coordinator Michael Mafie







Testimony of five-year-old boy Alvane Zephaniah:

Alvane had a challenging start in life. His mother, only 19 years old at the time, faced difficulties in her environment when she became pregnant. Little is known about Alvane's father, and it remains uncertain if he is alive. Sadly, Alvane's mother passed away when he was just three years old, leaving him in the care of his grandmother. Tragically, Alvane's grandmother also passed away, likely due to food poisoning (the perpetrator remains unknown). Alvane himself experienced multiple instances of poisoning, but managed to survive. Losing both his mother and foster grandmother at such a young age, Alvane began to lose hope of finding someone to care for him.

Recognizing the immense hardships Alvane had endured, the Good Shepherd's House, part of the Tanzania Orphanage Project through NCM, was moved to extend a helping hand. Our goal was to restore Alvane's hope, happiness, and sense of security in order for him to dare to dream again. He is now a cherished member of the Good Shepherd's House family, surrounded by brothers and sisters who provide him with love and support. He radiates joy, finding delight in playtime with others and storytelling. Alvane's passion for sharing stories and making others laugh is contagious. When asked about his aspirations, he proudly proclaims, "Pastor Alvane!" Already taking his spiritual journey seriously, he engages in worship, prayer, and learning about Jesus. The Tanzania Orphanage Project through NCM embraces the responsibility to care for Alvane, ensuring he receives opportunities he could not have accessed before.





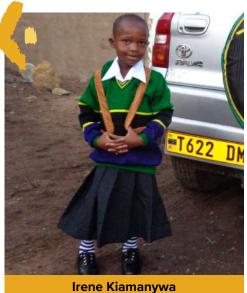




Testimony of Irene Kiamanywa, a six-year-old girl from Singida in Central Tanzania: When Irene was only 2 years old, her mother left Irene with her father and she disappeared. To this day, the fate of Irene's mother remains a mystery. Irene's father was a local fisherman in their community. Unfortunately, he had a tragic accident during one of his fishing trips and passed away, leaving Irene as an orphan with nobody to care for her. With no relatives to turn to, Irene was deprived of essential necessities like education, healthcare, and spiritual guidance.

Moved by Irene's story, Good Shepherd's House took the initiative to become her caretaker and provide her with the care she deserves. Since becoming a part of the Good Shepherd's House family, Irene has found happiness in her relationships with her fellow brothers and sisters. Irene, a gentle and kind girl, possesses a smile that warms the hearts of everyone who sees it. While she is normally quiet or soft spoken, Irene does not hold back when singing praises to Jesus! Irene's imagination leads her on captivating adventures, and her curiosity about the world knows no bounds. At Good Shepherd's House, we aspire to see Irene's hopes, dreams, and happiness restored.

Contributions to Good Shepherd's House will enable children like Irene to receive an education, access to healthcare, and benefit from the care of a loving staff dedicated to nurturing these precious children in the love of Jesus. Thank you for partnering with us to create lives filled with opportunities. National Coordinator Michael Mafie























RELIEF PROJECTS

GARRE RELIEF PROJECT



"The Garre people have been passing through various hardships in the past couple of years. Because of the drought they lost literally everything. They lost all their possessions- their cattle, camels, goats, and donkeys.

Since they are pastoralists their main income comes from animal production. This implies that they lost their household income. They couldn't feed their family; they don't send their kids to school and so on. As a result they are vulnerable for waterborne diseases, malnutrition and other kinds of diseases. Their livelihood has been hit to the level of losing their precious lives, particularly children, old and disabled people.

Because of this, a relief project was established for the Garre people. The project involved purchasing food items from the nearby markets and identifying the most vulnerable individuals - elders, women, and destitute people - inviting them to a central location where the food was distributed. Before the distribution, the Love of God and the Gospel of Jesus was preached for over 20 minutes, touching the hearts of the Garre people. Appreciation was expressed towards NCM and the food items were distributed among 400 households, positively impacting more than 2000 people.

The elders of the community expressed their gratitude for the support provided by NCM, which had stood with them during difficult times. They said "Thanks to God and NCM, we felt there is someone on our side. We feel happiness and encouragement. This help is more than a relief, it is rather blessings from God. In this time of difficulty, New Covenant Missions has been standing with us. We got support from NCM three times, school supplies for our kids, and counseling from its staff. We witnessed the love of God!" The project highlighted the importance of NCM in the community, and it was agreed that a sustainable water project would be the next initiative after the rainy season. Relief aid is crucial in saving lives, and the intervention was much appreciated by the Garre people." Horn of Africa Regional Director Garedew Assefa



















COMMUNITY RELIEF NIGER

We did community events in the villages called Settore and Karey Goru. We do this to express the love of Christ by sharing a meal with the people and it was an opportunity to know the people's needs in order to respond with relief projects if possible. They paid attention when we shared the Gospel and they asked us to pray for them. In both children's clubs more than 280 children including moms, and teenagers were gathered together. After sharing the Gospel we distributed some clothes. The children enjoy being in our clubs because of the love we share. Many children testify that they do not get any kindness shown to them elsewhere and some are being abused in their homes. Sometimes parents come and take their children away. Some parents however greatly appreciate our outreaches, thanking us and saying they will attend our next service. NCM Field Staff Idrissa

We organized an awareness campaign in the predominantly Muslim village of Kaiwa, with the aim of providing medical treatment to undernourished and sick children in need. A total of fifteen children, residing in the Lazare district of Niamey, required medical assistance and were part of our hospital program. Thanks to our community awareness campaign, both the village chiefs and the local community came together to support these children. We successfully raised 30,000 CFA francs to facilitate the referral of these children to the hospital for their much-needed treatment. **NCM Field Staff Moussa**



MALI CHILDREN RELIEF









I organized an Agape meal for vulnerable children to show them the true love of our wonderful Lord Jesus Christ. After the meal we distributed clothes, shoes and soap and then we shared the gospel. Eight children gave their lives to the Lord. One child said it was the very first time he heard someone tell him that he loved him; he did not know that God or people would love vulnerable children like them. We were very moved when we saw their joy and smiles.

ETHIOPIA WIDOW PROJECT

In Ethiopia there is no system in place to take care of the elderly widows. While many of them have homes to sleep in, most of them have no money for food or medicine, many are disabled, and some are even trying to take care of young Orphans who have lost their parents! This leaves them no choice but to beg on the streets all day long. Through one of our church partners at **Mehal Bahir Dar Meserete Kristos Widows Care Center**, we show the widows the love of Christ by providing a shelter with food, small business trainings and social activities. Most of the women in this project do not follow Jesus, but every day we play audio bibles and Christian films to educate them about the love of Christ! Currently **29** vulnerable widows, **54** of their orphaned grandchildren, and **7** voluntary workers, totaling 90 individuals are being supported. Since we started the widow project, **7** widows accepted Christ into their lives.

We have been supporting this project for nearly two years now, but our funding is about to run out and we need your help! The budget need to keep this project going is \$1,600 per month. This provides food, clothing, Medicines, social support, job training and more. Additionally this provides school clothing, supplies, medicines, and food for orphans. Please consider a one time gift or possibly a yearly commitment to keep this project going. Every dollar really makes an impact!

"This project is like a family to me. When I am sick, it is the project that supports me. Additionally, the sanitation materials I receive from the project every month are greatly beneficial to me. Please convey my heartfelt regards and blessings to all those who have supported us in various ways. I pray for them regularly."

"There is no one who can support me like this project does. It means everything to me. I once broke my leg due to a fall, and the workers stood by my side, ensuring I received proper medical treatment. Now, my leg is healed. The daily food I receive from the project is my main source of support."

"I've been in this project from the start. My relatives, including my children, aren't here because I'm a born again Christian. This project is really important to me. Thankfully, some of my relatives are starting to understand who Jesus is. I pray they'll also accept Jesus into their lives. Thank you to everyone who supports us."





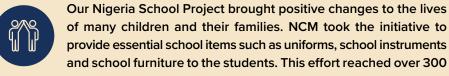






SCHOOL PROJECTS

NIGERIA SCHOOL PROJECT



school children, leaving a lasting impact on their education and well-being. During the project, we had the privilege of interacting with 171 pupils and parents.

Their excitement and gratitude were evident, as they chanted praises for the positive impact. The children referred to Jesus as a super hero, recognizing the blessings brought by Christians who cared for their community. Mr. Haruna, the principal of the Junior Secondary School, who is a Muslim, acknowledged the Christian organization's efforts in a touching way. He explained to the students that the project was fueled by love, citing the verse John 3:16 from the Bible.

While the project execution had its challenges, including economic fluctuations due to new government policies and tough road conditions during rainy seasons, we managed to overcome these obstacles. A dedicated truck driver took on the challenge of delivering the supplies to Jagbe, ensuring a smooth and successful distribution. One of the school, named Enialigie Primary School holds a central position in Jagbe and has the largest student population. The headmaster, Mr. Yakubu, a Muslim, surprisingly mentioned Jesus multiple times during the event, reflecting the unity and acceptance of different beliefs.

Our approach to sharing Christ's love differed from what the community expected. Instead of imposing sermons, we chose to lead by example through giving and teaching. By showing kindness and care, we gained the trust of the people, allowing us to share the Gospel in more personal settings. This approach has opened up new ways for the people to discover Christ. We believe that through our continued efforts, Christ's transformative message will touch their hearts and bring about positive change.

"Even parents could not hide their joy. Their children are in brand new uniforms and now have school instruments that will encourage some children to run to school, steering clear of the streets."



































SOGIDO (BLOOD VILLAGE) KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL

75 children are being provided free education at our school in Ethiopia. This reduces the chance of child trafficking by an estimated 50% and has opened the door to the gospel in this village of 12,000 people that was once totally Unreached. Now over 10% are following Jesus!

Our Kindergarten school works in partnership with our mission work. Teachers, Church Planters, families, and the communities are all actively involved. This partnership has led to positive changes in the children's lives. A few years ago, we were forced to buy a piece of land to build the Kindergarten School but now, seeing the impact, they want us to expand it and are even offering to give us a large piece of land for a new school. The difference is really visible.

More children are now attending school, and child abductions have decreased. School dropouts have also gone down, and the students' academic performance stands out compared to other rural areas where school performance is usually lower. The community is also happy with the school since we feed their kids once per school period, which boosts the kids' performance. Most importantly, it opens doors for us to move from place to place, house to house, and deliver our message to the community.

NCM Horn of Africa Director Garedew Assefa









NEW COVENANT SCHOOL OF MISSIONS (NCSOM)

IN COOPERATION WITH NEW COVENANT INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY (NCIU)

I am very pleased to share that the NCM School of Missions is doing quite well, disregarding the challenges. For the last term that ran from April 17, 2023 - July 22, 2023, we had a total of 67 students - 44 in the degree program and 23 in the diploma program.

Our students came from a diverse array of countries, including the Central African Republic, Congo Brazzaville, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Gabon, Ghana, Kenya, Liberia, Nigeria, Mali, Sierra Leone, and Uganda. During the last two terms, we offered a wide range of courses, including Evangelism, Discipleship, Cross-Cultural Missions, Church Planting, Gospel of John, Christology, Introduction to IT, Ecclesiology, Leadership-1, Leadership-2, Church History-1, and Church History-2. These courses were taught by dedicated lecturers, including David Guzik from the USA, Jimmy Kuoh from Liberia, Ugo Peterson from Nigeria, Malan Crouse from South Africa, and myself, Sydney Thomas, from Ghana.

We are praying and believing God for the provision of essential equipment like projectors, computers, generators, whiteboards, Internet connections, as well as stationery and supplies for our hubs in Liberia, Sierra Leone, and the Democratic Republic of Congo, where our students gather. NCM Sub-Sahara Africa Director Sydney Thomas



CLEAN WATER PROJECTS

ZAMBIA CLEAN WATER PROJECT



Our new borehole project is located in the Muzinantu community in Mpulungu, Zambia, which is about 1,000 kilometers away from the capital. This area is home to a diverse mix of tribes, and there is a noticeable increase in the Muslim population. The Islamic community in Zambia is

actively investing to turn Mpulungu into an Islamic district by 2030. Currently, there is only one water source, a stream, on which many households depend.

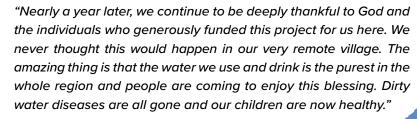
The NCM-Zambia team is working closely with community leaders in Mpulungu to complete the borehole project. Soon, clean water will be available to benefit over 7,000 households, who are also our target audience for sharing the teachings of Jesus. The introduction of this borehole is seen as a divine intervention, bringing immense joy to the villagers as they anticipate having access to clean water. This borehole is of great significance to our mission, serving as a strategic way to spread the gospel, much like the story of Jesus meeting the Samaritan woman at a well. It represents a crucial step in our efforts. NCM NC Richard Kakuwa





Our clean water project in the remote village of Okabo, situated in Mankono, Ivory Coast, continues to be a success. This project positively affected 1,700 people in total. Among them, 175 "Baule"

animists, 68 "Mossi" Muslims, 137 "Senufo" animists, and 90 "Jula" Muslims had the opportunity to hear the gospel. Furthermore, 35 Baule and 7 Senufo individuals found salvation through this initiative.



















HEALTH CENTERS

GUINEA REPUBLIC HEALTH CENTER

On April 23rd, I traveled to Guinea Conakry to visit a community health center supported by NCM. This health center will be impacting about 5000 Fulani people and so far approximately 3000 people have heard the gospel because of this project. I stayed there for three weeks and during this time, we bought materials for the health center's construction and hired the workers. It was incredible how quickly we almost finished the work within just three weeks. This was very exciting for the community, which consists of 13 villages.

Seeing the job done so well and efficiently, with proper financial management, impressed the people. As a result, they invited me to the mosque one Friday. After the Friday prayers, the Muslim religious leaders and the Imam gave me a chance to address the people. There was a big gathering at the mosque. When I finished speaking, people were enthusiastic and had a clear understanding of the gospel message I shared. They also realized that I am a Christian, a pastor, and I represented a Christian organization. This eased doubts and criticism about Christianity. After leaving the mosque, someone informed me that some people were interested in hearing more about Jesus. Before I departed, the religious leaders and elders came to the construction site to pray for me and thank those who donated for the health center's construction. The remaining tasks are painting and purchasing furniture for the health center to start functioning. Let's pray for God to provide what's needed. We hope to open the health center after the rainy season, due to the ongoing heavy rainfall. I've also suggested that our Sahel RD (Mr. Ibrahima Diop) be part of the delegation when the time comes. I believe that a church will soon emerge in the community once the health center begins operating. NCM Field Staff Modou









EDRC SERE HEALTH CENTER

EDRC is establishing a medical facility in the Ango area, with plans to launch the new medical structure later this year for the Sere people group.













WDRC NDUNGA HEALTH CENTER

In the Ndunga community, there was a pressing need for accessible medical care. In response to this need, we embarked on the construction of a health center to provide essential services to those in need. The Ndunga community generously contributed wood for the construction. As a result of this project, 78 individuals from the Ndunga community, 62 from Ngombe, 35 from Mbundja, and 26 from Lokele were introduced to the gospel message. Remarkably, 41 people found salvation for the very first time through this initiative. **NCM NC Leon Daniel Dede**



















EDRC NADIKALA MEDICAL STRUCTURE

Our Nadikala medical project is going really well. People are excited and hopeful about the new hospital. They're showing their gratitude to NCM. During our launch, more than 300 individuals received free treatment, and five people embraced Jesus. In the next phase, we provided assistance to 589 people (mostly from Zande and Bugulu people groups); some of them were travelers and soldiers. Our nurse is doing an excellent job treating people and spreading the message of Jesus. Among these 589 people in the second phase, 12 of them started believing in Jesus Christ for the first time.

We're also putting in a lot of effort to build a strong team in the community and keep everything organized. People are even making bricks to help finish the construction of the building. Unfortunately, the church isn't thriving since the Church Planter who started the church and the medical structure left. Our nurse is doing great sharing the Gospel in the hospital, but managing the church alongside becomes challenging. We are sincerely praying for additional pioneer missionaries for our church.

Our partnership with NCM remains unwavering. Our team combines medical treatment with preaching, resulting in healing, both physical and spiritual. Fewer people are falling ill, and they are turning away from traditional healing methods to put their trust in Jesus. Accessing the hospital has become easier, and the overall area is improving. Considering the remote location of the project, we plan on having a monthly visit from a Doctor to oversee and guide the nursing team's progress. We anticipate a budget of \$100 per month, which would cover the doctor's services and transportation.

We sincerely appreciate the kind support provided by NCM, including equipment, materials, medicines, and essential construction supplies.

NCM NC Samuel Murusi

















NGONDI CONGO REPUBLIC HEALTH CENTER







The Ngandikolo Medical Center in Congo Brazzaville was established to assist the Ngondi people. We face two main challenges. Firstly, the cost of construction materials is high. Secondly, we are struggling to find a nurse who can work at the center on a permanent basis. Currently, we are conducting a malaria screening campaign and offering consultations and screenings for diabetes and common illnesses. This depends on nurse availability and is done in partnership with the Ouesso base hospital until we can secure a permanent nurse. While this temporary arrangement costs us more in transportation, it has yielded positive results. Over the past months, we have reached more than 173 people. Among them, 74 people heard about the gospel for the first time, and 22 accepted Christ. NCM Field Staff Bongo Jean Baptiste

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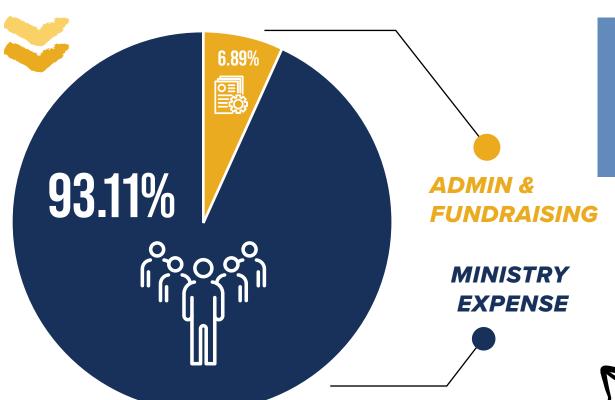


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OUR END GOAL

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!"

Revelation 7:9-10

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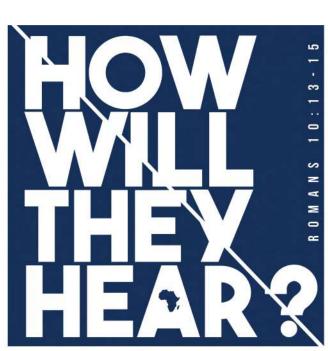
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